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SUBJECT: REPORTED DISCRIMINATORY U.S. TAX ON PRIVATE PLANES
TRAVELING FROM U.S. TO HAITI

REF: P-AU-P 1396

1. ACCORDING TO SECRETARY OF COMMERCE THE "DISCRIMINATION"
REPORTED IN REFTEL UNDOUBTEDLY REFERS TO FACT THAT INSURANCE
RATES FOR PRIVATE PLANES FLYING TO HAITI ARE DOUBLE THE RATES
APPLICABLE TO PLANES FLYING TO OTHER CARIBBEAN DESTINATIONS.

2. EMBASSY DOES NOT KNOW THE BASIS ON WHICH THE INSURANCE
COMPANIES HAVE ESTABLISHED THIS DIFFERENTIAL, BUT IT SEEMS
POSSIBLE THAT IT MAY DATE FROM THE 60'S AND THAT CHANGED
SITUATION IN HAITI HAS NOT BEEN TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED IF THE
DEPARTMENT COULD SUGGEST POSSIBLE STEPS WHICH THE GOH MIGHT
TAKE TO PERSUADE U.S. INSURANCE COMPANIES TO REVIEW THEIR
RATE STRUCTURE.
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